IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of)	
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Application Number: 10/099,997)	Examiner Chung, David Y.
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For: Liquid Crystal Display Device))	
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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 10, 2003, the period response to which has been extended to expire on April 10, 2004, with a three-month extension with appropriate fee filed herewith. Please amend portions the above identified application as follows: